

Institutional Library News

SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

Is anything exciting happening at your facility? If so, tell us about it on the "What's New (s)" form on the Institutional Libraries web-page:

<http://www.in.gov/library/3373.htm>

***REGISTER for the Workshop TODAY!**

<http://evanced.info/indiana/evanced/eventcalendar.asp>

SPRING WORKSHOP—LIBRARY RESOURCES

The theme for the **May 14, 2012 Spring Institutional Library Workshop** is "**Library Resources.**" In our continuing efforts to help you better serve your populations and meet their reading enjoyment needs, the opening session will be on Reader's Advisory.

Grantees will "show and tell" the success stories of previous year grants. Our working lunch time speaker will regale us with the tale of the "Battle of Tippecanoe". In the afternoon, we will have an orientation to the Annual Statistical Survey that will be due in the fall. That will be followed by roundtable discussions.

Register early! Lunch will be provided **but you must [register online](#) and submit a [separate](#) lunch request form by fax or email by Monday, May 7th at 1:00 p.m. (EST).**"

Don't forget the book sale giveaway at Indianapolis-Marion County Public Library Services Center (2450 N. Meridian St. 46208) **at 8:30 a.m.** Bring your own boxes and bags for freebies. There will also be a few free books at the workshop. **The workshop will begin at 9:45 a.m. You may enter room 401 at 9:15 a.m.** Parking will be available in the Senate Avenue Garage.

LSTA INSTITUTIONAL GRANTS UPDATE

The 2012-2013 LSTA Institutional Literacy Grants were due March 16th. **Thirteen** applications were received requesting a total of **\$59,426.00**. Libraries could apply for up to \$5,000.00 of the available **\$50,000.00**. The applications will be evaluated this spring and applicants will be notified in June. Successful applicants should be prepared to begin spending your awards the first week of July. For help with current or future grant questions, contact [Marcia Smith-Woodard](#) or LSTA Consultant, [Jennifer Clifton](#). Fiscal agents should direct their questions to [Martha J. Ringel](#).

DATES TO REMEMBER

- March 30th is the end of the 2011 grant project year and the last day grant funds can be spent.
- May 14th—Spring Workshop 9:15 a.m. — 3:00 p.m.; Don't forget the freebies at IMCPL at 8:30 a.m.!
- May 16th is the last day reimbursement claims may be submitted by email or postmarked.
- June—LSTA Grant Applicants will be notified about the status of their applications this month.
- June 4th—2011-2012 LSTA Grant Evaluations are due.
- June 30th—end of the calendar year: prepare to complete the annual statistical survey that will be due in September.
- July 2nd—successful 2012-2013 grant applicants may begin spending funds.

WORKSHOP SPEAKERS



JESSICA J. BARNES



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<http://www.in.gov/library/libraries.htm>

NEW BOOKS TO BORROW FROM THE INDIANA STATE LIBRARY

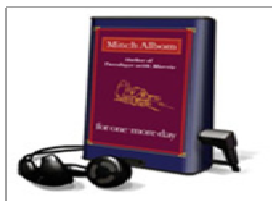
	Interlibrary Loan Practices Handbook	Z713.5 .U6 B68 2011
Cartensen, Angela	Outstanding Books for the College Bound: Titles and Programs for a New Generation.	Z1039 .C65 O9 2011
Fletcher-Spear, Kristin	Library Collections for Teens: Manga and Graphic Novels	Z692 .G7 F58 2011
Grover, Sharon	Listening to Learn: Audiobooks Supporting Literacy	LB1050.G785 2012
Helmrich, Erin	Create, Relate, & Pop @ the Library: Services & Programs for Teens & Tweens.	Z718.5 .H45 2011
Nelson, Jennifer	Technology and Literacy: 21st Century Library Programming for Children & Teens.	Z718.3.N45 2012
Tucker, Virginia	Finding the Answers to Legal Questions: A How-To-Do-It Manual	KF240.T83 2011
Welch, Rollie James	A Core Collection for Young Adults (Includes CD-ROM)	Z1037 .J66 2011

[*Request Interlibrary Loans through Indiana Share.](#)

WHAT'S NEWS IN INSTITUTIONAL LIBRARIES?

THE EVANSVILLE STATE HOSPITAL NOW HAS PLAYAWAYS AVAILABLE!

Playaways are a pre-loaded digital media player that brings audio books to life with the push of a button. Patients may now check out Playaways from the Patient Library to enjoy a digital recording of a popular book. 48 Playaways were received through a grant awarded to the hospital. The Library Services & Technology Act (LSTA) Grant also included the purchase of 149 books, a wide variety of nonfiction, fiction, large print, easy read, graphic novels, and history book sets.



Additionally, residents came up with a winter theme for the bulletin board in December and created a snow scene of cotton balls with the slogan "Let's Slide Into A Good Book". Participants recommended their favorite book for the display and assisted with the letter cut-outs and snowflake designs.



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Donna Mesker,
Evansville State Hospital Librarian

AUDIO BOOKS ENRICH THE LIVES OF INDIANA VETERANS' HOME RESIDENTS

The Indiana Veterans' Home, founded in 1896, is the only state institution dedicated to the long term care of veterans and eligible spouses. Under a grant from LSTA, the Indiana Veterans' Home purchased CD players, headphones and CDs of audio books for the residents to enjoy.

One resident expressed his agitation by chewing on items. He had always enjoyed reading but was not able to read books any longer. He was given the opportunity to have a CD player and the audio books. We noticed that his chewing stopped and he is quite content with listening to the books and the joy it has brought him. He was a resident who read books on a daily basis and always carried a book with him no matter where he went, before he lost his eyesight.

One afternoon when Devotions was the activity for the residents, we got the CD of the Bible and played some verses for the residents who had a discussion group of the verse(s). These CD players and audio books are an asset to the Veteran's Home and will enrich the lives of many who have lost their eye sight.

Melissa Durr, Asst. Supt. & Rita Drew, Librarian
Indiana Veterans' Home

WHAT'S FOR LUNCH?

SELECT YOUR PIZZA:

VEGETARIAN____ CHEESE____
PEPPERONI____ SAUSAGE____

A side salad will be included.

Order here:

<http://www.in.gov/library/3373.htm>

LIBRARY ACTIVITIES

Association for Library Service to Children celebrates **Children's Day/Book Day** during the month of April: <http://www.ala.org/alsc/initiatives>

National Library Week is April 8—14th. <http://www.ala.org/news/mediapresscenter/presskits/nlw2012/presskit>. **National Library Worker's Day** is the 10th. <http://ala-apa.org/nlwd/>

Use your library to promote personal financial literacy during **Money Smart Week @Your Library** from April 21-28.

<http://www.chicagofed.org/webpages/education/msw/ala/index.cfm>

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DATE: Monday, May 14, 2012

TIME: 9:15 – 3:00 (EST)

LOCATION: Indiana State Library
Room 401

Theme: "Library Resources"

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Visit WebJunction Indiana Calendar of Events at

<http://evanced.info/indiana/evanced/eventcalendar.asp>

- Click **May 14** – Institutional Workshop to register.
- You must include **an area code and email address**.
- Lunch will be provided but you must register **online** by **1:00 p.m. (EST) on Monday, May 7**.
- **(Workshop attendance now required for DOC facilities to receive an ACA letter.)**

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